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Ken McDaniel 4 May 2007

Mark:

The contamination at 1619 Avalon to my knowledge was discovered by Ken Theisen, USEPA, Region five in the late 1980's. At that time the residence was provided with a carbon filter. IDEM has maintained the filter since. In 2005 I collected a sample from the residence to see if the contamination was still present. Results of the sample indicated TCE contamination at levels that are much higher than in the past.

Back in the early 1990's all affected area residents that had proximity to municipal water were hooked up to municipal water. The residence located at 1619 Avalon remained on a carbon filter because a municipal water main was not in close proximity.

Recently, in 2006 during an additional sampling mission, additional homes were found with contaminated drinking water above an MCL in their private well. At the time of discovery these additional or recently discovered homes with contaminated water above an MCL were provided with bottled water at IDEM expense. Other homes are present in the study area that had contaminated water but the level of contamination at the time of sample collection was below MCL.

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